(c) to (e) Instructions are being issued to various Ministries/Departments to set up creches for the benefit of their women employees.

Separate hosteis for working women

†2253. SHRI AJAY MAROO: Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are contemplating on any scheme for constructing separate hostels for working women;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the names of cities where such hostels are proposed to be constructed alongwith number thereof; and

(d) the amount proposed to be allocated for the said scheme?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY): (a) and (b) Ministry of Women and Child Development has been implementing a scheme of assistance since 1972-73 for construction/expansion of hostel building for working women. The details of the scheme are available on the website of the Ministry http/www.wcd.nic.in

(c) and (d) Ministry of Women and Child Development has sought an outlay of Rs. 500 crores in the Eleventh Five Year Plan for sanctioning 40 new hostels each year all over the country. The Ministry has also requested all State Governments and Union Territory Administrations to make a demand survey of working women's hostel and to recommend proposals for places where any demand is evident.

Marriage trade in Haryana

†2254. SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA: Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the trade being done in Mewat area of Haryana in the name of marriage;

(b) whether it is a fact that this trade of girls, being done by truck

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.